

Alleghany County, N.C. Newspapers

Alleghany was formed in 1859 from Ashe. Sparta is the county seat. (North Carolina Manual, 1991-1992, edited by Julie W. Snee. Raleigh, North Carolina Secretary of State, n.d.)

Sparta, N.C. Newspapers

Alleghany News (1940)
Began in 1940
Earliest known issue: Feb. 14, 1941
Ceased in 1941
Last known issue: Aug. 29, 1941
OCLC #38538446
Merged with: Alleghany Star-Times, to form: Alleghany News and Star-Times

Alleghany News (1984)
Began in 1984
Beginning issue: Aug. 16, 1984
Currently published
OCLC #13118341
Continues: Alleghany News and Star-Times

Alleghany News and Star-Times
Began in 1941
Earliest known issue: Sept. 5, 1941
Ceased in 1984
Last known issue: Aug. 9, 1984
OCLC #22231482
Formed by the union of: Alleghany News (1940), and:
Alleghany Star-Times
Continued by: Alleghany News (1984)

Alleghany Star
Began in 1889

Earliest known issue: April 12, 1894
Last known issue: Aug. 7, 1916
OCLC #39210685

Alleghany Star-Times
Began in 1940
Earliest known issue: Mar. 21, 1940
Ceased in 1941
Last known issue: Aug. 28, 1941
OCLC #38538310
Continues: Alleghany Times
Merged with: Alleghany News (1940), to form: Alleghany News and Star-Times

Alleghany Times
Earliest known issue: Jan. 26, 1933
Ceased in 1940
Last known issue: Mar. 14, 1940
OCLC #38538228
Continued by: Alleghany Star-Times

The Blue Ridge Sun
Began in 1979
Beginning issue: June 20, 1979
Ceased in 1997
Ending issue: Sept. 24, 1997
OCLC #39199850
Merged with "The Declaration" newspaper in Independence, Grayson County, VA.

Anson County, N.C. Newspapers

Anson was formed in 1750 from Bladen. Wadesboro is the county seat. (North Carolina Manual, 1991-1992, edited by Julie W. Snee. Raleigh, North Carolina Secretary of State, n.d.)

Polkton, N.C. Newspapers

Ansonian (Polkton: 1874)
Began in 1874
Earliest known issue: Apr. 16, 1874
Ceased in 1876
Last known issue: Mar. 29, 1876
OCLC #25194290
Continued by: Weekly Ansonian

Weekly Ansonian
Began in 1876
Earliest known issue: Apr. 5, 1876
Ceased in 1878
Last known issue: Apr. 25, 1877

OCLC #12594378
Continues: Ansonian (Polkton: 1874)

Wadesboro, N.C. Newspapers

Anson News
Began in 1934
Earliest known issue: Sept. 26, 1934
Ceased in 1949
Last known issue: Oct. 14, 1936
OCLC #38471920
Absorbed by: Messenger and Intelligencer and Ansonian